

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE.

Group Art Unit: 2814

Examiner: MAI, ANH D

PETITION FOR

ONE-MONTH **EXTENTION OF**

TIME

September 8, 2003

In Re PATENT APPLICATION Of:

Applicants

: Hiroki NAKAMURA

Appln. No.

: 09/625,178

Filed

: July 25, 2000

For

: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

HAVING WIRING PATTERNS

AND DUMMY PATTERNS COVERED

WITH INSULATING LAYER

Attorney Ref.: F98ED0762

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the period for replying to the Examiner's Action dated May 12, 2003, be extended for one month under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a). Please charge the applicable extension fee of \$110.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1) to out Account No. 50-0945.

Should any further fees be needed, please charge it to the Account and advise us accordingly. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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